

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Anthony Prescott et al.

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Examiner: David Isabella

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Title: Stapedial Prosthesis and Method of Implanting the Same

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO REPLY

The applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents for a one month extension of time to reply to a Final Office Action dated March 17, 2005/Advisory Action Before the Filing of An Appeal dated June 8, 2005. With the extension of time, the time for reply is extended to July 17, 2005, making this reply timely in nature. The \$60 small entity fee for the one month extension (or any other fee due) should be charged to deposit account no. 07-1732.

Two (2) dependent claims have been canceled and two (2) dependent claims have been added. No additional claim fee is required.

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